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Enclosed are also:

- ☒ 31 Pages of Specification including an Abstract  
☒ 6 Pages of Claims  
☒ 7 Sheet(s) of Drawings (Formal)  
☒ 3 Declaration and Power of Attorney  
☒ Form PTO 1595 and assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation  
☒ Form PTO 1449 and Information Disclosure Statement  
☒ Copies of References  
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## CLAIMS AS FILED

FOR	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee (\$750)
Total Claims	21	-20 =	1 X \$ 18	= \$18
Independent Claims	3	-3 =	0 X \$ 84	= \$0
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